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HSP60 FAMILY

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated April 14, 1998, please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please insert the enclosed Sequence Listing immediately prior to the claims beginning on page 50.

Page 8, line 24, please delete "(SEQ ID NOS:1-2)" and insert therefor -
(SEQ ID NOS: 1 and 2 respectively) -
Page 8, liné 26, please delete "(1-2)" and insert therefor (-- (SEQ ID NOS: 3

and 4 respectively) --

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and 6 respectively) --.

Page 8, line 26 please delete "(1-2)" and insert therefor (-- (SEQ ID NOS: 7

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Page 9, line 6, immediately after "S. pneumoniae" please - (SEQ ID NOS: 2

<u>C</u> and 4) --.

Page 9, line 6, immediately after "S. pyogenes" please -- (SEQ ID NOS: 6 and

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